SENATE BILL No. 203

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: None (noncode).

Synopsis: Medicaid waiver for family planning services. Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to seek a family planning services demonstration waiver before January 1, 2002. Provides that the waiver request include a request to continue Medicaid coverage for family planning services to women who are eligible for pregnancy related services under Medicaid for two years after the woman's 60 day postpartum eligibility expires.

Effective: Upon passage.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in this style type. Also, the word NEW will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning Medicaid.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) As used in this SECTION, "office" refers to the office of Medicaid policy and planning established by IC 12-8-6-1.

- (b) As used in this SECTION, "family planning services" means family planning services provided to Medicaid recipients under IC 12-15-5-1.
- (c) As used in this SECTION, "waiver" refers to a family planning services demonstration waiver.
- (d) Before January 1, 2002, the office shall apply to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for approval of the necessary demonstration waiver under Section 1115 of the federal Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1315) to continue family planning services to women described in IC 12-15-2-13.
- (e) The office shall include the following in the waiver request described in subsection (d):
 - (1) A request to continue Medicaid coverage for family planning services to women described in IC 12-15-2-13 for two (2) years after the expiration of the postpartum eligibility



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1	period under IC 12-15-2-13(d).	
2	(2) A request that Medicaid coverage be provided for any	
3	other service required by the federal waiver.	
4	(f) If a provision of this SECTION differs from the	
5	requirements of a waiver, the office shall submit the waiver request	
6	in a manner that complies with the requirements of the waiver.	
7	However, if the waiver is approved, the office shall apply within	
8	one hundred twenty (120) days after the waiver is approved for an	
9	amendment to the waiver that contains the provisions under this	
10	SECTION that were not included in the approved waiver.	
11	(g) The office may not implement the waiver until the office files	
12	an affidavit with the governor attesting that the federal waiver	
13	applied for under this SECTION is in effect. The office shall file the	
14	affidavit under this subsection not later than five (5) days after the	
15	office is notified that the waiver is approved.	
16	(h) If the office receives a waiver under this SECTION from the	
17	United States Department of Health and Human Services and the	
18	governor receives the affidavit filed under subsection (g), the office	
19	shall implement the waiver not more than sixty (60) days after the	
20	governor receives the affidavit.	
21	(i) The office may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 necessary to	
22	implement this SECTION.	
23	(j) This SECTION expires January 1, 2007.	
24	SECTION 2. An emergency is declared for this act.	_

